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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE
NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS
By _____
(Deputy Clerk)

ZHAI LAN JIANG,

Civil Action No. 07-0035

Plaintiff,

vs.

Case Management Scheduling
Order

HAN NAM CORPORATION,

Defendant.

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Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16(b)¹ and Local Rule 16.2CJ.e.4, a Case Management Conference was conducted in the above case on January 4, 2008. As a result of the conference,

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. All parties are to be joined on or before April 18, 2008.
2. All motions to amend pleadings shall be filed on or before April 18, 2008.

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Fed.R.Civ.P. 16(b)(6) provides in part that a case management scheduling order "shall not be modified except upon a showing of good cause and by leave of the district judge[.]" To establish good cause, a party must generally show that even with the exercise of due diligence it cannot meet the order's timetable. See e.g. Johnson v. Mammoth Recreations, Inc., 975 F.2d 604, 609 (9th Cir. 1992). The liberal amendment policy of Fed.R.Civ.P. 15 no longer obtains once the case management scheduling order has been entered. See Coleman v. Quaker Oats Co., 232 F.3d 1271, 1294 (9th Cir. 2000).

- 1 3. All discovery shall be served by August 1, 2008.
- 2 4. All discovery motions shall be filed so as to be heard on or before
3 September 18, 2008. The following discovery documents and proofs of
4 service thereof shall not be filed with the Clerk until there is a motion or
5 proceeding in which the document or proof of service is in issue and then
6 only that part of the document which is in issue shall be filed with the
7 Court:
 - 8 a. Transcripts of depositions upon oral examination;
 - 9 b. Transcripts of deposition upon written questions;
 - 10 c. Interrogatories;
 - 11 d. Answers or objections to interrogatories;
 - 12 e. Requests for production of documents or to inspect tangible things;
 - 13 f. Responses or objections to requests for production of documents
14 or to inspect tangible things;
 - 15 g. Requests for admission; and,
 - 16 h. Responses of objections to requests for admission.
- 17 5. A status conference will be held on April 18, 2008, at 9:30 a.m.
- 18 6. All dispositive motions shall be heard on or before October 30, 2008. Said
19 motions shall be filed in accordance with Local Rules 7.1.
- 20 7. A settlement conference will be held on November 7, 2008, at 9:30 a.m.
- 21 8. The jointly-prepared final pretrial order, prepared pursuant to Local Rule
22 16.2CJ.e.9, shall be filed with this Court by December 1, 2008.
- 23 9. A final pretrial conference will be held on December 1, 2008, at 9:00 a.m.
- 24 10. The trial in this case shall begin on December 8, 2008, at 9:00 a.m.

25 This case has been assigned to the Standard Track.

26 DATED THIS 4th day of January, 2008, Garapan, Saipan, CNMI.


JUDGE ALEX R. MUNSON